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SUBJ: 747'S FOR IRANIAN AIR FORCE

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1. IN AUGUST 29 MEETING, GENERAL TOUFANIAN INFORMED POL/MIL COUNSELOR THAT GOI DOES NOT RPT NOT PLAN TO BUY THREE 747'S INCLUDED IN ITS DECEMBER 1977 MILITARY REQUIREMENTS LIST. HE SAID DECISION HAD BEEN MADE RECENTLY BY SHAH ON BASIS OF REVIEW BY HIM AND TOUFANIAN OF ARMS PURCHASE PLANS AND AVAILABLE RESOURCES. TOUFANIAN ADDED HE AND SHAH WOULD SOON HAVE SIMILAR REVIEW OF PROPOSAL TO PURCHASE TWELVE 707'S FOR MILITARY USE.

2. IN THIS CONVERSATION AND LATER ONE SAME DAY WITH CHIEF, ARMISH/MAAG, TOUFANIAN LINKED 747 DECISION TO NEW GOI BUDGETARY REQUIREMENTS. TOUFANIAN SUGGESTED MORE MONEY WOULD PROBABLY BE NEEDED FOR SHARIF-EMAMI CABINET'S PROGRAMS, SPECIFICALLY MENTIONING ADDITIONAL AGRICULTURAL PROJECTS.
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